

ABSTRACT

COMPOSITION WITH A CONTINUOUS AQUEOUS PHASE
CONTAINING L-2-OXOTHIAZOLIDINE-4-CARBOXYLIC ACID

A composition containing a continuous aqueous phase comprising

5 L-2-oxothiazolidine-4-carboxylic acid, at least one sequestering agent and at least one
neutralizing agent, the said neutralizing agent being present in an amount which is sufficient
to adjust the pH of the aqueous phase of the composition to a value of between 5 and 8. The
combination of the sequestering agent and the neutralizing agent stabilizes the L-2-
oxothiazolidine-4-carboxylic acid, in particular with respect to thermal degradation, and thus
10 prevents yellowing of the composition and the formation of unpleasant odors.

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